

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Capt. T. B. Spratt spent Monday in Yorkville.

Mrs. R. L. Bennett spent the week-end with relatives in Pineville.

Next Wednesday, according to the almanacs, is the longest day in the year.

Mr. Thos. D. Faulkner, Fort Mill's oldest resident, has been in ill health for several weeks.

Mr. N. P. Johnston, of Danville, Va., is spending the week with relatives in Fort Mill and vicinity.

Dr. J. B. Elliott and Ernest T. Whitesell returned Saturday morning from a week's visit to Chattanooga, Tenn.

Miss Isabel Massey, of Fort Mill, is the guest of Miss Eloise Steele at Oak Ridge.—Rock Hill Record.

After teaching during the past year at Panola school in Summerton, Miss Willie Hoke is at home for the summer vacation.

Mrs. J. A. Boyd left the last week for Conover, N. C., where she will visit for some time her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Lee and children, of Tampa, Fla., arrived Tuesday morning for a visit to relatives in this city.

From the Yorkville Enquirer it is learned that the Fort Mill school is the only school in York county with a course that includes eleven grades.

S. A. Epps left the last week for Lumberton, N. C., where he will make his future home. His family will follow him in a short while.

J. K. Henry, of Chester, has filed his pledge with the secretary of state as a candidate for re-election to the office of solicitor of this circuit.

As the result of an attack of heart trouble, Mr. W. H. Parks, one of the town's oldest male residents, was dangerously ill for a short while early Monday morning.

James L. Kizer and Miss Ada Dixon, both of Mecklenburg county, were married in this city the afternoon of Sunday, June 4th, by the Rev. E. Z. James.

Mrs. W. A. Hafner is receiving the sympathy of her friends. She recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the city hospital.—Gaffney Ledger.

It is understood that the two cotton mills in this city will on next Saturday begin paying their employs each week, in compliance with an act of the last legislature.

It is reported on the streets of Fort Mill that Hamilton Carhartt is making preparations to build a big cotton mill at Carhartt station, 3 miles south of Fort Mill.

F. E. Ardrey, the Western Union operator in this city, will not accept the position of assistant city ticket agent at Washington, the place which was offered him some days ago.

A. M. Shultz and J. P. Billue have opened a stock of dry goods, notions and groceries in the latter's building on White street, and make a strong bid in this newspaper for the public patronage.

Miss Gertrude Gilligan, whose father was some years ago superintendent of one of the local cotton mills, was married in Charlotte Tuesday morning to D. Claude Robertson, a popular mill man of Spartanburg.

W. F. Stevenson, of Cheraw, who was a visitor in Fort Mill Friday, has filed his pledge with the secretary of state as a candidate for Congress from the Fifth Congressional district. D. E. Finley, the incumbent, has not yet filed his pledge.

Kanawha chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has elected officers for the new year as follows: Mrs. J. Lee Spratt regent, Mrs. S. L. Meacham vice-regent, Miss Susie White secretary-treasurer, Mrs. E. M. Belk historian, Mrs. W. B. Ardrey registrar.

The Congressional Campaign.

Following is the schedule of meetings in the Congressional Campaign, Fifth District, adopted at a meeting of the County Chairman of the District at Rock Hill, June 7th, 1916:

Ridgeway, Tuesday, July 11.
Winnsboro, Wednesday, July 12.
Chester, Thursday, July 13.
Great Falls, Friday, July 14.
York, Saturday, July 15.
Blacksburg, Tuesday, July 18.
Gaffney, Wednesday, July 19.
Clover, Thursday, July 20.
Fort Mill, Friday, July 21.
Rock Hill, Friday, July 21, night.
Lancaster, Saturday, July 22.
Kershaw, Tuesday, July 25.
Camden, Wednesday, July 26.
Blaney, Thursday, July 27.
McBee, Friday, July 28.
Cheraw, Friday, July 28, night.
Chesterfield, Saturday, July 29.

Militia May Be Called Out.

Of decided interest to the members of the local military organization is the despatch sent out from Columbia Monday which, in part, read as follows:

Orders to get ready for mobilization, in case orders come for service on the Mexican border, were issued to the South Carolina National Guard Monday by Gov. Richard I. Manning just before his departure for St. Louis. The governor, who was just back from Washington, would not say why he promulgated the get-ready orders further than he wanted the companies warned of what might happen. He said he was issuing the orders because there might be a call for the troops any day.

In unofficial circles the belief was expressed that the orders for the South Carolina militia to go to the Mexican border will be issued in Washington immediately after the St. Louis convention.

The South Carolina militia is composed of two regiments of infantry, four companies of naval militia, five companies of coast artillery, and one troop of cavalry, in all a little over 2,000 men.

Rev. Thos. H. Leitch Dead.

The Rev. Thomas H. Leitch, for many years an evangelist of the Southern Methodist church, died suddenly in a Columbia hospital Sunday night. For the last year Mr. Leitch had made his home in Columbia, where he was pastor of the Oliver Gospel Mission. Formerly he traveled over the State holding revival services in which work he visited Fort Mill first about 30 years ago. He was an Englishman by birth, but came to this country with his parents when he was three years old, in 1853. Mr. Leitch did a great work for the Christian religion and his death is sincerely regretted by thousands throughout the State and other sections of the country.

Hold Important Meeting.

Mrs. Robert F. Grier was the hostess on Thursday afternoon at the regular monthly meeting of Florence Thornwell chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, which was the last meeting for the summer. In the order of the programme the study of the Hampton Roads conference was pursued and the matter of securing additional markers needed for the marking of the graves of Confederate veterans was taken up and disposed of. A special meeting will be called probably in July to arrange for the dinner which is served annually by the chapter to the surviving veterans. At the conclusion of the session the society adjourned to the home of Mrs. John J. Bailes nearby to witness a demonstration conducted under the auspices of the Domestic Science club and were served with a sweet course.

Keep Your Cultivators Busy.

Owing to the comparatively small amount of fertilizer used on crops this year, and to the lengthy drought, care should be taken to see that the crop gets as much of it as possible, says a Clemson college bulletin. There is not enough for the grass and weeds and corn and cotton, too. A more frequent shallow cultivation, and the keeping down of grass and weeds will enable the corn and cotton to take up more fertilizer. The crop needs all the moisture it can get, and shallow cultivation helps to keep a mulch on the ground and conserve what moisture that is present, as well as to kill weeds and grass which use a considerable amount of water that is needed for the corn and cotton. Don't let the crop starve or go thirsty for lack of sufficient shallow cultivation.

AN NOUCEMENTS.

For Clerk of Court.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of Court for York county, subject to the approval of the Democratic voters, in the approaching primary election.

GEO. W. WILLIAMS.

The Times is authorized to announce Mr. T. E. McMACKIN as a candidate for Clerk of the Court for York county, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the approaching primary election.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Court for York county, subject to the will of the voters in the approaching Democratic primary election. John R. Logan.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of York County subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

F. E. QUINN.

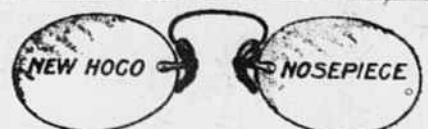
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of sheriff of York county, in the approaching primary election, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

R. L. SCOGGINS.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of county commissioner, subject to the wishes of the voters in the Democratic primary. If elected, I pledge myself to give an efficient administration of the county's affairs.

R. F. LEE.



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Keep good glasses on your windows. The preservation of your vision, the enjoyment and comfort of life depends upon the skill and ability of the optician who fits your glasses.

We have recently become the authorized dealers in your vicinity in glasses made by the

G. L. Hall Optical Co., of Norfolk, Richmond, Lynchburg

and will have with us one day every three months an optician thoroughly conversant in every way with the fitting and adjusting of eyeglasses and spectacles.

The first visit will take place Saturday, July 8th,

and we extend an invitation to everyone in need of such services to call on that date.

All work absolutely guaranteed.

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Road Tax Due.

The attention of all concerned is called to the fact that the Commutation Road Tax of Three Dollars is now due and payable on or before July 1, 1916, after which date no Commutation Tax money can be accepted under the law. In remitting by mail, always indicate the township in which you live. Persons failing to pay the \$3 Commutation Tax on or before July 1, will be liable to Five Days' service on the roads.

H. E. NEIL,

Treasurer of York County.

OPENING SATURDAY

DRY GOODS. NOTIONS. GROCERIES, ETC.

GROCERIES

Karo Syrup, 9c can, 2 cans for... 17c
Mackerel, large size, 9c, 2 for... 37c
Kraut, Silver Floss O. K. brand, 9c, 2 for... 17c
Sardines, the finest kind, 5c, or two cans... 9c
Mustard, Cream Salad brand, 9c
Snuff, salty and sweet, best brands, 2 boxes, 9c
White House brand Vinegar, 9c
Finest selection of Broken Candy, pound... 13c
Pail Candy, very best selection, pound... 23c
Soap, Octagon and Export brands, 6 bars... 4c
Blueing, Indigo brand, per box... 21c
Campbell's Pork and Beans, 11c, 2 cans for... 21c
Soda Crackers, Crisco brand, 2 packs for... 9c
Arm & Hammer brand Soda, 6 packs for... 23c
Orange Pekoe Tea, best brand, per pack... 9c
Mount Hope Coffee, per case... 23c
Cheese, fresh and delicious, per pound... 22c
Rice, per pound 8c, or two pounds for... 15c
Grits, 5c per pound, or 2 pounds for... 9c
Corn Flakes, Kellogg's, per package... 9c

Pepper, Bee brand, small size, 5c, 2 for... 9c
large 10c, 2 for... 19c
Post Toasties, per package... 9c
Mackerel, large size, 9c, 2 for... 37c
Salmon, Triangle brand, 15c size 12c, 2 for... 23c
Borax Powdered Soap, 41-2c, or two for... 9c
Potatoes, new, 35c per gallon, or per peck... 65c
Brooms, standard quality, each for... 24c
Wash Boards, extra good quality, each... 9c
Cove Oysters, Double Eagle brand 9c, 2 for... 17c
Starch, Argo brand, 9c, or 2 for... 17c
Cocoanut, Baker's Milk brand, 9c, or 2 for... 17c
Arbuckle's Coffee, 23c, or two packs for... 45c

In addition to the above we carry a full line of Tobaccos, chewing and smoking, Cigars, Chewing Gum, Etc. In fact, anything you may need in the Grocery line.

NOTIONS

Overalls, Karlsbad brand, in all sizes... 97c
Men's Undershirts, good quality... 23c

We do hope that our offer of these bargains will be appreciated and that we may have your patronage. Sale opens Saturday and will last this ONE DAY ONLY.

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Winthrop College
SCHOLARSHIP and ENTRANCE
EXAMINATION.

The examination for the award of vacant scholarships in Winthrop College and for the admission of new students will be held at the county court house on Friday, July 7th, at 9 a. m. Applicants must be not less than 16 years of age. When scholarships are vacant after July 7 they will be awarded to those making the highest average at this examination, provided they meet the conditions governing the award. Applicants for scholarships should write to President Johnson before the examination for Scholarship examination blanks. Scholarships are worth \$100 and free tuition. The next session will open September 20, 1916. For further information and catalogue, address Pres. D. B. Johnson, Rock Hill, S. C.

Schedule of Services

Fort Mill Circuit of M. E. Church, South, for the Year 1916.

Fort Mill Church—1st and 3rd Sundays at 11 a. m., and 4th Sunday at night. Sunday school every Sunday morning. Women's Missionary society every 1st Sunday afternoon.

Pleasant Hill Church—1st and 3rd Sundays at 3:30 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Philadelphia Church—2nd Sunday at 11 a. m.; 4th Sunday at 3:30 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday morning, (4th Sunday at 3:30 p. m.)

India Hook Church—4th Sunday at 11 a. m.; 2nd Sunday at 3:30 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday afternoon, (4th Sunday 10:00 a. m.)

E. Z. JAMES, Pastor.

Old Newspapers for sale at The Times Office.

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When you look back, five years seems like a very short time.

When you look ahead five years, life looms up with possibilities.

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Boys' Wool Suits, \$3.00 to \$7.00.
Boys' Wash Suits, 50c to \$2.00.
Men's B. V. D. Underwear, Union Suit or separate, the suit \$1.00.
Men's Summer Underwear, long or knee-length, the suit, 50c.
New Shirts, Ties, Collars, Sox, Hats, and Caps, all new.

LADIES

Another shipment of pretty new Wash Skirts at \$1 to \$2.
New Waists, all the best materials, 50c to \$2.50.
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